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On August 28, Kuwaiti MFA International Organizations Director Ambassador Mansour Abdullah Al Awadi confirmed to poloff that the GOK will vote in favor of U.S. nominee Ms. Felice Gaer in her candidacy for re-election to the United Nations Committee Against Torture.

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